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Sir:

Enclosed are a PTO-1449 and copies of references cited in a Japanese Office Action, dated April 22, 2003, in a corresponding foreign application for the Examiner's consideration. English abstracts are provided for the Japanese references.

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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 are earnestly solicited.

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